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Patent Number: 6048471 :  
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Application Number: 09/022779 :  
Filing Date: 02/12/1998 :  
For: ZERO VOLATILE ORGANIC :  
COMPOUND COMPOSITIONS BASED UPON :  
ORGANIC SOLVENTS WHICH ARE :  
NEGLIGIBLY REACTIVE WITH HYDROXYL :  
RADICAL AND DO NOT CONTRIBUTE :  
APPRECIABLY TO THE FORMATION OF :  
GROUND BASED OZONE :

ON PETITION

This is in response to the deficiency fee payment filed pursuant to 37 CFR 1.28(c) on 7 February, 2007.

37 CFR 1.28(c) states, "The deficiency is based on the amount of the fee, for other than a small entity, in effect at the time the deficiency is paid in full."

The Office no longer investigates or rejects original or reissue applications under 37 CFR 1.56. **1098 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 502 (January 3, 1989)**. Therefore, nothing in this Notice is intended to imply that an investigation was done.

Your fee deficiency submission under 37 CFR 1.28 is hereby **ACCEPTED**.

Small entity status will no longer apply. Accordingly, all future fees paid in this application must be paid at the large entity rate.

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